



Meeting Minutes

Submitted by: Mahssan "Bear" Afkhami, Secretary

Date of Meeting: Monday, February 6 2022
Time of Meeting: 6:00pm – 8:00pm
Meeting Venue: MS Teams

A. Call to Order by C Johnson at 1808
B. Prayer by C Edwards
C. Roll Call by C Afkhami

	Commission Member	Present?
1	Robert L Johnson (Chair)	Y
2	Bruce D Edwards (Vice Chair)	Y
3	Mahssan "Bear" Afkhami (Secretary)	Y
4	Arthur L Cuttler, II (Treasurer)	Y
5	James M. Alsobrooks	N
6	Anthony J McAllister	Y
7	Dr. Joseph Jones Sr.	Y
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11	NON VOTING - Elio Wade (Liaison)	Y

D. Adoption of the Agenda

C Edwards move to adopt agenda without change, C McAllister seconded

E. Acceptance of Meeting Minutes

There were no formal minutes from last month.

F. Treasurer's Report & Budget

\$5000 balance with no expenditures to date.

-Per C Edwards there is a potential of \$750-\$1000 for food for the next event with the Commission for Women.



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G. Guest Speakers

Marcus Hughes: Discussed the status of HB115 and qualified immunity.

Ambrose Lane Jr.: Provided background on the mission and work of "Million Man Vote"

H. Discussion on Relationship Reform and Revitalization Forum

1. Collaboration and Partnerships- Other Commissions / Organizations

- Commission for Individuals with Disabilities
- Looking to possibly doing a joint call with all PGC Commissions
- Reaching out to County Council Liaison to share information and invite him to our next meeting
- CASA has also been invite to attend a meeting

2. Health, Safety and families

- C Afkhami writing recommendations for consideration on the price of food staples

3. Curriculum and Education outcomes

- What role can we play with Prince George's County Public Schools?
- A Subcommittee for Prince George's County Education was created and C Cutler will be leading.

I. Update on activities or initiatives (within 30-90 days) – NEXT STEPS

- Mentorship program going on and aims to start in March
- City of Bowie outreach for event in June (Juneteenth / Father's Day)
- Will plan offline for the "Innovation Summit"

J. Unfinished Business

K. New Business- will we not be doing a Black History program this year

L. Announcements

M. Adjournment C Johnson at 1954